Assistant Examiners for Public Examinations.

242. * **MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any rule in appointing the Assistant Examiners for the English and Malayalam School Leaving Certificate Examinations:

(*b*) the number of Assistant Examiners selected for the E. S. L. C., Malayalam Higher, Malayalam 7th class and III Form examinations during the years 1115 and 1116 M. E.;

(*c*) the number of such Assistant Examiners who have not put in five years of service as teachers in any recognised institution; and

(*d*) the number of such people who have not put in two years of service as teachers?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) Reliability, knowledge of the subject and standard concerned, standing in the profession and experience are considered in selecting Assistant Examiners for the Public Examinations conducted by the Education Department.

	1115	1116
(*b*) E. S. L. C. Examination ...	124	134
Malayalam/Tamil High School Examination ...	55	65
Malayalam/Tamil Middle School Examination	169	168
E. M. S. Examination ...	...	130

(*c*) and (*d*) The time and labour involved in collecting the information required are out of proportion to its possible utility.

MR. P. KUNJUKRISHNAN: May I know whether any list has been kept in the matter of Assistant Examiners?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: Yes, Sir.

Jaggery consumed by the Sugar Factory, Thuckalai.

243. * **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR**: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the quantity of jaggery consumed by the Sugar Factory at Thackalai in the years 1113, 1114, 1115 and in the first three quarters of 1116?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: A statement furnishing the information is laid on the table.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI (*Tovala* cum *Agastisvaram*): May I know how much quantity is given by South Travancore?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS: About two-thirds.

Eligibility of 7th Class Examination Certificate Holders for appointments.

244. * **MR. KAVIYOOR K. K KOCHUKUNJU** (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to name the Departments in and posts to which candidates passing the 7th Class Examination are considered eligible for appointment?

MR. C. S. LAKSHMANAN PILLAI: A † statement furnishing the required information is laid on the table.

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* *Vide* Appendix II page 640.

† *Vide* Appendix III page 641.

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